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1. [] the Chinese Communist Revolutionary Military Council (RMC) was planning an extensive economic and political program at Ch'angtu (N 31-10, E 97-07). The purpose of the program, scheduled to begin [] was to make Ch'angtu a service supply station between Sinkiang (sic) and Tibet. 25X1

2. To carry out this project, the Southwest Military Area was to be responsible for the following tasks: 25X1
 - a. The construction of four barracks, two equipment storage areas, one central radio station, one power plant, one hospital, and two dormitories for workers, all in an area of 50,000 square meters.
 - b. The opening of ten farms with a total of 25,000 mou¹ of arable land.
 - c. The establishment of Ch'angtu special office (chuan shu 1413/5002) and a Ch'angtu Military Sub-District, including the transfer of a large number of political and military personnel to this sub-district.
3. [] more than thirty medical, agricultural, engineering, and other technicians were ordered by the RMC to proceed to Ch'angtu. Four Soviet advisers were to accompany the party. 25X1

1. [] Comment. One mou equals 0.1647 acre. 25X1

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